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## DENTISTS FORM PERMANENT SOCIETY IN THE VALLEY

Reorganization Effected at Banquet Held Here

**DR. H. E. FRISELL SPEAKS**  
Dean of University of Pittsburgh Dental College Gives Instructive Talk

The Monongahela Dental Society celebrated their re-organization with a banquet Friday night at the Elks' Club House. Dr. H. E. Friesell dean of the Dental department of the University of Pittsburgh was the principal speaker of the evening. His subject was "Organizing and Conducting a Dental Society." Dr. G. H. Smith of Charleroi, the temporary president of the organization acted as toastmaster, and called upon representatives from the following towns along the river who were present: Charleroi, Monongahela, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Finleyville, Monessen, Donora, Brownsville and California.

With Dr. Friesell in the chair a permanent organization was effected by the election of officers as follows: President, Dr. G. G. Crow of Charleroi; vice president, Dr. Meredith of Monongahela; secretary, Dr. Huston of Fayette City; treasurer, Dr. Abraham of Brownsville; librarian, Dr. Palmer of Monessen. Dr. Crow, the first president of the new association, has had 40 years of active dental practice and many of the best practitioners in this section have been students under his instruction. The local society is affiliated with the Pennsylvania Dental Society.

## FIREMEN CALLED OUT BY ROOF FIRE

A small fire at the home of Mrs. Jennie Campbell on Fallowfield avenue, near First street called out the firemen this morning. The flames and before being discovered had burned which is owned by the Province heirs, and before it was covered had burned through. The blaze was quickly extinguished and little damage resulted.

## CHARLEROI BRANCH TO VISIT MONESEN L. C. B. A. SUNDAY

The Monessen branch of the L. C. B. A. will entertain Miss McEntee, Supreme Trustee Sunday afternoon. Members of Donora, Monongahela and Charleroi associations are invited. A large number from St. Jerome's branch will attend leaving here at 2 o'clock.

### Side Shows Come to Town.

Several of the sideshows with the carnival company which has been exhibiting on the east end of the Monessen bridge moved over to Charleroi for show day. They came yesterday and some have tents while others have secured vacant store rooms in good locations.

## Is Assigned to Coronation

Robert Mountsier, of Charleroi, Sent by New York Sun

Robert Mountsier, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mountsier of McKean avenue, who has been doing newspaper work on the New York Sun for some months, has been assigned to go to London, England, to report the coronation of King George. Robert is a graduate of Columbia University in New York city, and has had considerable experience abroad, having traveled through Germany and England. The assignment is a recognition of his abilities.

## DISCUSS WORK YOUNG PEOPLE

Tri Luther League Has Interesting Monthly Meeting in Charleroi

### ADDRESS BY REV. EVELER

The Tri-Luther League, comprising Luther leagues of the Monongahela, Monessen and Charleroi Lutheran churches held their monthly meeting in Charleroi last night at the Christ Lutheran church. A good crowd was present from each of the towns. Rev. G. B. Eveler, pastor of the Monessen Lutheran church made the chief address on the subject of "The Power of Young People." A. W. Davis of Monessen, Harry J. Gehring of Charleroi and Miss Gertrude Dunmire of Monongahela gave talks on the work being done by the Luther leagues.

In a "standard of excellence" contest Monessen was awarded the banner, Monongahela was second and Charleroi third. Attendance, gain in membership and Bible reading was considered.

## ARRANGE SCHEDULE FOR COMING WEEK

Next week the real interest will be developed in the Charleroi Church league. Good games are scheduled. Monday's game which was scheduled between the Lutherans and Washington Avenue Presbyterians had been postponed until Wednesday, May 17, on account of the circus Saturday, which will necessitate the grounds being put in better shape before being used again. The following is next week's schedule.

Tuesday—Christians vs First Presbyterians.

Wednesday—Baptists vs W. A. Presbyterians.

Thursday—Baptists vs Episcopalians.

Friday—Methodists vs Baptists.

### For Sale

8 room house on lot 150x60 feet on Lookout avenue between 6th and 7th streets. Inquire Max Rossmore, 616 Lookout avenue. 222tf

## CROWDS THROG CHARLEROI; FIRST SHOW DAY OF YEAR

Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Circus Arrives Early and Put up Tents-Parade is One of Main Features

## AFTERNOON AND EVENING EXHIBITIONS

Fresh from a tour through Ohio the Adam Forepaugh & Sells Bros. big circus arrived in Charleroi early this morning and put up their tents. The show came from Pittsburgh where two exhibitions were given Friday to the delectation of two large audiences.

One of the most interesting sights of the day was the unloading this morning at the railroad siding. At an early hour people began to flock toward this centre of attraction to witness this most interesting proceeding. Tents went up like magic, and by noon everything was ready for the big street parade which is easily one of the main features of the show. The line of parade was over the principal streets.

Many of the cages of the show are open during the parade, which is another thing that marks the liberality of this enterprise. The public is thus afforded a free opportunity of seeing many of the wild beasts carried by this tented institution. The horses are a feature of the display. For years this circus has been noted its fine horses. They are mostly grays, well matched and well groomed.

It looks as though a record-breaking crowd would witness this circus here today. The outlying districts have been thoroughly billed and reports from other cities are of such a favorable character that the people can hardly be disappointed. The show has 70 cars which makes it one of the largest on the road. The numerous splendid features have caused most favorable comment everywhere as among the best ever seen with a tented enterprise. The Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Big United Shows have been rebuilt for the season of 1911 on a big scale of magnificence.

Among the new features this year is a daring double somersault, or loop-the-loop act done by women in an automobile. The same circus appeared in Charleroi last year, but this feature was not along. Consequently all the more interest is felt in the show's appearance here today.

Without doubt the Forepaugh and Sells Bros. show is the cleanest that ever appeared in Charleroi. Often when a circus comes it requires all the local police force and a corps of deputies can do to prevent disorder, but not with the aggregation here today. That fact was realized last year at the time of the appearance of Forepaugh and Sells Bros. show.

## Adults' Day Celebration

Sunday Schools of County Endeavoring to Get Attendance of 20,000

With 20,000 adults in the schools, as the mark to be attained, Adults Day will be observed among Sunday schools of Washington county on Sunday, May 14. In many schools special programs are being prepared. A conquest flag will be awarded to the school having the best attendance of adults according to the school enrollment, excluding the cradle roll. All persons 16 years old or older will be counted.

## SPECIAL VISITING DAY OBSERVED

Sunday School Superintendents Will go to Other Schools

### ASSIGNMENTS FOR SUNDAY

Sunday will be the second of the annual visiting days among Sunday Schools of the county. A number of superintendents of this district will make visits to other districts and men from other districts will come here to visit local schools. The following visits will be made here by other superintendents: Baptist, Bertram Teeple, Monongahela; Christians, Lorimer Williams, Monongahela; Speers M. E., John Barrass, Dunlevy; Allenport, M. E. Marshall Plasman, Charleroi; First Presbyterian, E. Jay Iams, Donora; Episcopal, Miss Minnie Landefeld. Visits by local superintendents will be made out of town as follows: D. C. Worthington, Grace Lutheran, Monongahela. J. K. Brumbaugh, Donora Presbyterian. W. S. James, Monongahela M. E. Bethel A. M. E., Donora, George Turner.

### County to Have Chicken Show.

A movement is on foot to organize a county poultry association for the purpose of holding a poultry show at Washington next fall. The committee that is working up the project announces that \$1,000 has been subscribed for the purpose.

## Ability Is Recognized

Testimonial to Prof. J. G. Pentz in Re-election to Superintendency

As a testimonial to his ability Prof. James G. Pentz was re-elected to the position of Superintendent of Schools in Charleroi for a term of three years.



this week. Prof. Pentz has held the position for two years and has given the best satisfaction as was indicated by the fact that there was not a dissenting vote to his election.

### Woman Wanted

No experience required. To demonstrate for Butterick Patterns. Straight salary and permanent position. Call or address all day Saturday and Monday. C. E. McKnight, Hotel Charleroi. 230tf

### Will Meet Sunday

The monthly meeting of the Adult Federated Bible Classes will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church, and matters of importance will be taken up. Among them will be the matter of Adult Day observance in this district on the following Sunday.

### Look at This.

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## COMPILE POSTOFFICE DATA TO GET MATTERS EQUALIZED

To Participate in Field Meet

High School Track Team Goes to Pittsburg Today to Enter Events

A track team from High School, composed of Austin Stahlman, Henry Primas, Carl McGuire, Paul Nutt and Lloyd Carson, went to Pittsburg today to participate in a field meet of the Carnegie Technical school. A team will be sent to Washington next Saturday to contest in a field meet.

## FIRST INTERCLASS DEBATE IS HELD

Seniors and Juniors Discuss Methods of Senatorial Election

### SENIOR TEAM IS WINNER

The first interclass debate between classes of the High School took place Friday afternoon, when the Seniors and Juniors debated the question "Resolved, That United States Senators should be elected by popular vote." Rev. C. E. Frontz and Rev. F. A. Richards as judges rendered a decision in favor of the Seniors, supporting the negative side.

Debating for the Senior class was a team composed of Johanna Estenfelder, Henry Primas and Charlie Lee. The Junior debaters were Lloyd Carson, Marie Whitehead and Kate Gamble. The Seniors maintained that confusion would result, a great unnecessary expense would be entailed, and there would be no advantage to the people in a change from the present method of electing Senators. The Juniors combatted these points by arguments to the effect that this was a free country and each man therefore had a right to vote directly for the Senators.

## MRS. ALICE REED AND ROBERT JENKINS MARRIED IN BUTLER

In Butler Tuesday occurred the marriage of Mrs. Alice Reed, formerly of Charleroi and Robert Jenkins of Monongahela. The announcement came as surprise to their many friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Knox of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Butler, Thursday at high noon and the couple returned to Monongahela that night where they will make their future home. Both are well known, enjoying a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Samuel Pardoe went to Morgantown this morning to visit his son, Edgar Pardoe.

**DANCING SCHOOL**  
Bank Hall Wednesday night, Class 7:30, Dancing 8:45. The Tuxedo will be Danced Wednesday Night. 229-54

Every Piece of Mail Matter Being Counted During May

### EFFECTIVE NATIONALLY

All Postal Employees Must Abide by Ruling, Even Messengers

After a week's experience with the work placed upon them by Postmaster General Hitchcock the post-office employees of the Charleroi office are getting used to counting all mail handled daily. The order of Postmaster General Hitchcock was to the effect that during the month of May all pieces of mail must be counted so that the postoffice department can judge where any saving may be made. When one considers that there is an average of about 6,000 pieces of mail handled a day at the Charleroi postoffice and that the rules require every piece to be counted as many times as it is handled the enormity of the work is realized. The rules governing the count are not only effective at postoffices but also extend to the postal carriers, even including the special delivery messengers.

The Charleroi postoffice is about the average for a small town. However it is unofficially stated that in some towns of similar size in the United States there are several more clerks and carriers than there are here to do practically the same amount of work. It is this inequality that the postoffice department desires to overcome. The local postoffice has hardly enough help, and by doing away with unnecessary expense in other places it will be possible to render more efficient service generally than by the present method.

## Will Observe Mother's Day

May 14th is Day Set Apart for Honoring Best Person in the World

Wearing the "memory flower," a white carnation, thousands of people all over the country will celebrate "Mother's Day" the second Sunday in May. Churches, school and organizations will ask the observance of this day, one in which every race, every nation, every individual can join in hearty brotherhood.

It is also asked by the founder of the highest dignitaries of the States of the union have officially put the stamp of approval upon the honoring of the "best mother who ever lived—your own," upon this day.

People are being urged to make their mothers guests of honor in their homes on this day, to send the loving letters, if away, from their children, or to place a tender tribute of gratitude for her life, upon her grave, if she be dead. The day is to be one of joy and kindness.

Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Braddock is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield, of Fallowfield avenue.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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The Palace—Charleroi.

The feature of this week at the Palace Theatre of the pictures was the one "The Two Sides," a Biograph reproduction showing a vivid contrast of the world's prosperous and poor. The scene is laid in the far west where a Mexican laborer is discharged from a ranch with others to enhance the proprietor's already ample profits by reducing expenses. The poor Mexican is in desperation as to the recovery of his sick child and be- owner to give him employment again. seches the rich ranch owner to give him employment again.

Through a childish caprice, the ranchowner's child threatens to run away from home and hides in the barn, through the carelessness of an employe the barn takes fire. The Mex- ican happening near, is inclined to let the barn burn, but discovers the child's purse outside the barn-door and suspecting the owner is inside the burning building dashes in and the little one is placed in her father's arms.

Another good picture was "The Chiesa Talisman." John Evans sang with good effect, the well known song "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight." Louis Brusa sang "The Heidelberg Glide" song. Good crowds continued all week.

The Grand—Pittsburg.

The perennial beauty and popular favorite, Lillian Russell, makes her vaudeville debut in Pittsburg at the Grand next Monday afternoon. Her repertoire of songs for the engage- ment at the Grand will include many of her best hits, notably, "Come Down My Evening Star." The ladies will be interested in the gowns worn by Miss Russell for she has ever been re- garded among the best dressed women on the stage.

In the same program Manager Davis presents many other eminent artists. Harry Tighe, who support- ed Virginia Earl is coming at the head of a cast of seven lively and talented young folks in a college musical com- edy, entitled "The Careless Sopho- more." It was written by Ralph D. Paine, the author of many fasci- nating stories of student life.

The famous Kaufmann troupe of cyclists just returned from Europe, will appear in a series of new ideas in trick and fancy riding.

Warren, Lyons and Meyers will give a hodge podge of vaudeville ideas in song, dancing and patter.

Tom Smith, a merry monologist and a numerous array of other tal- ented folks combine their special- ties in a composite bill with no dull second to mar its evenbalanced ex- cellence.

The Alvin—Pittsburg

Josephine Preston Peabody's four- act prize play, "The Piper" direct from the New Theatre, New York, will be presented at the Alvin Theatre for a short engagement beginning May 8th, with Miss Edith Lynne Mathison in the title role, and supported by the New Theatre company. Last year the play won the Stratford prize offered for the best drama sub- mitted in competition by any English or American author, and was sub- sequently produced at the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford. In England the character of the The Piper was created by F. C. Benson. At the New Theatre Miss Mathison created the part for America. "The Piper" is written in blank verse, and is based on Browning's well known poem, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin." It is poetic, picturesque and fanciful, and employes twenty adult actors and forty children. Much of its beauty lies in the simplici- ty of the story, which differs some- what from Browning's tale in that the little folk, after being piped away to the mountain cavern, are finally piped back again. As the scenes are laid in a medieval period, the four acts lead themselves to pic- turesque settings and costuming. Mail orders will be given careful at- tention. There will be matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

The Red Shirt.

The origin of the "red shirt"—worn as a blouse by English women in the sixties, when Garibaldi was a popular idol throughout Great Britain—is sufficiently curious. When the celebrated filibuster was warring in the South American republics he was anxious to obtain a distinctive and, above all, economical uniform for his followers. He learned that a local dry goods store had an immense "job lot" of these garments, worn by the "sala- deros," or cattle slaughterers, of the great South American cities. The "bar- gain sale" appealed eloquently to the leader's purse, and he led his men to victory in the butchers' shirts, which are now the accepted emblem of the "risorgimento" of United Italy.—Lon- don Globe.

Heart Trouble.

"Faint heart never won fair lady." "Faint heart has no business to try to win anything; faint heart ought to see a doctor."—New York Press.

The More Egyptian Mendicants Get the More They Demand.

In Egypt one should never give bak- sheesh except for actual services ren- dered. Resist calmly but firmly every attempt at extortion. Never pay till the stipulated service is finished; then, after you have paid a little more than the bargain called for, turn a deaf ear to the protestations and entreaties that always follow. Bear in mind that the more baksheesh you give the more clamorous becomes the applicant. Real thanks and gratitude must not be ex- pected for gifts.

A friend of mine once broke one of these rules just to see what would happen. As we passed through a lit- tle mud village twenty miles from Cal- ro he gave a sturdy beggar a millieme (half a cent). This beggar, accompa- nied by others, followed us to the edge of the village, asking for more. My friend then gave him a plaster (2 cents).

They followed us a hundred yards or so and were more persistent than before. When they showed a disposi- tion to go back he gave them 5 plas- ters. They followed us half a mile and became very clamorous. I was afraid we should get into trouble and wanted him to stop it, but when they began to lag he gave them 20 plasters.

They followed us two miles, and the experiment might have ended serious- ly had we not met a company of trav- elers with a druggoman, who sent the beggars about their business. This may help you to understand Egyptian character.—Christian Herald.

LAPLAND BABIES.

For Their First Few Months They Live In Wicker Baskets.

Little Laplanders spend the first few months of their existence in bak- ets of wickerwork provided at the top with a conical framework too close for the baby to fall through and yet giving the infant plenty of light and air.

Before commencing her work for the day the Lapp mother places her child in the basket and hangs it on the limb of some nearby tree, occupation being found for the little one by stringing toys under a cord passed across the top of the basket.

Thus provided the child spends the entire day in the open and yet at the same time is guarded from the trou- bles and dangers of outdoor child life in other countries.

The basket idea curiously parallels the Indian idea of strapping the pa- poose into a carrying case, but the Lapp baby has the advantage over its Indian fellow in that its limbs are un- confined and a certain amount of lib- erty of movement is afforded.

The child is carried from place to place in the same basket, the cord by which it is attached to a tree being slung over the shoulder.

Fossils and Gold.

In Alaska the bones and often the entire bodies of extinct animals, such as the mammoth, the mastodon, the reindeer and the bison, are found more abundantly in layers of soil directly above gold bearing gravels. So inti- mate is this association between fossil animal remains and auriferous depos- its that one scientist who has explored Alaska says fossils serve prospectors as indexes of the metallic richness of the soil. In ancient times both gold and the bones of animals were deposit- ed at the bottoms of valleys by action of rivers and smaller streams, many of which have now disappeared; con- sequently the appearance of fossils is, it is claimed, an almost certain indication that gold will be found in the neigh- borhood. The cabins of many miners are ornamented with huge tusks and antlers unearthed in the diggings.—New York Tribune.

Definite Instructions.

Telegraphers have their troubles, like the rest of mankind, and the men who follow the dots and dashes tell sto- ries based upon actual happenings that almost test the credulity of the hearer. A man now in charge of a Postal of- fice is responsible for the following, which occurred to him when he was holding down a key in an obscure place in the suburbs:

"A farmer came in one day and handed me a message to 'Mrs. Smith, New York city.' I asked for the ad- dress, and my patron, looking at me with a pitying smile, replied: "'Sonny, you just send it to Mrs. Smith, who keeps a boarding house in New York. Don't let any one know you don't know where her place is.'"

Philadelphia Times.

Followed Instructions.

She was a woman of very puritan- ical notions, and when she came into his room to kiss her little boy good night and found that he had not said his prayers she was very much shock- ed. "How was it, Willie," she asked, "that you neglected such an important duty?"

"You see, mamma," he replied, "when dad sent me in a hurry to bed he said there mustn't be another word out of me tonight."—Lippincott's.

Just the Very Trouble.

A French scientist says that the oceans hold enough gold in solution to give each inhabitant of the earth \$24, 000,000. The trouble is that they will continue to hold it.—Albany Journal.

Might Is Right.

We have noticed that when two boys are playing with a wagon the smaller boy is pretty apt to be the horse.—Atchison Globe.

Mercy turns her back to the unmerciful.—Quaker.



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### AUDITORS REPORT.

MARCH 15, 1911.

North Charleroi Borough Council; Honorable Sirs:

We, the undersigned borough auditors respectfully report that we have examined or caused to be examined the books and accounts of the borough treasurer, S. W. Sharpnack, of tax collector, C. C. Carson, of burgess, Jonas M. Gee; and have compared their reports with the books and accounts of the borough clerk, J. W. Haggerty, for the year ending March 15, 1911, have found them correct, and we certify that the following is a true statement of the finances of the borough at the close of the year.

#### Ordinary Receipts.

Balance forward from last year	\$ 132.83
Taxes, 1908	80.60
Taxes, 1909	308.31
Taxes, 1910	3,331.46
Dog License	3,720.37
Fines collected by burgess	43.25
Building permits	3.70
Sewer permits	22.00
Pole taxes	4.50
Hall rent	49.00
Team license	42.00
Justice of peace fines	17.11
Stock fines	26.00
Peddlers license	5.00
Liens paid	1.00
Foreign insurance	15.18
Borrowed money	3.70
	700.00
	\$ 4,785.64

#### Ordinary Expenses.

Paid note—First National Bank	700.00
Paid interest—First National Bank	813.94
Gas	103.85
Electric light	678.45
Labor and material for street lights	85.17
Water	500.00
Labor—street repairs	318.57
Material—street repairs	125.92
Printing	57.36
Board of health	97.55
Attorney fees	226.36
Fire apparatus	396.60
Police	83.50
Borough audit	21.50
Burgess	37.50
Cleaning and repairs to building	29.31
Clerks salary and stamps	70.04
Street signs	6.00
Prothonatary fees	26.00
Re-building J. H. Sheppard fence	59.30
Treasurers commission	160.27
Sundries	23.93
Treasurers balance	164.23
	\$ 4,785.64

#### Resources.

Borough building and fixtures	\$ 3,100.00
Fire apparatus	1,650.00
Miscellaneous	270.00
Outstanding taxes 1909	250.08
Outstanding taxes 1910	912.80
Treasurers balance	164.23
	\$ 6,347.11

#### Liabilities.

Bonded indebtedness	\$ 12,000.00
Borrowed money	12,700.00
	\$ 24,700.00

April 25, 1911—Respectfully submitted this date.

Seth C. Bare  
R. A. Metz  
H. A. Williams

#### Street Improvement.

##### Receipts.

Assessments collected from property owners	\$ 7,169.60
Collected from Pittsburgh Railways Company (per agreement)	2,500.42
Due from Pittsburgh Railways Company (per agreement)	2,285.82
Due from Donora Lumber Company	1,175.00
Due from Thomas J. Wood	156.77
Due from Johanna Dowd Estate	156.77
Due from West Side Street Railway Company	666.14
Due from T. J. Allen	674.88
Due from Mercantile Bridge Company	794.90
Due from Pittsburgh Railways Company	616.80
Due from Mary E. Sellers	143.92
Paid from Borough Treasury	1,641.36
Total	\$17,982.38

#### Expenses.

Paid Hallam Construction Company for paving	\$17,862.00
Due Hallam Construction Company for paving	120.38
Total	\$17,982.38

April 25, 1911—Respectfully submitted this date.

Seth C. Bare  
R. A. Metz  
H. A. Williams  
Auditors.

We have just received a new line of summer waist, with dutch collars embroi- dered in blue, black, lavender and white. They are sold every were for \$1.39 and \$1.50 we are offering them at the special price of \$1.00

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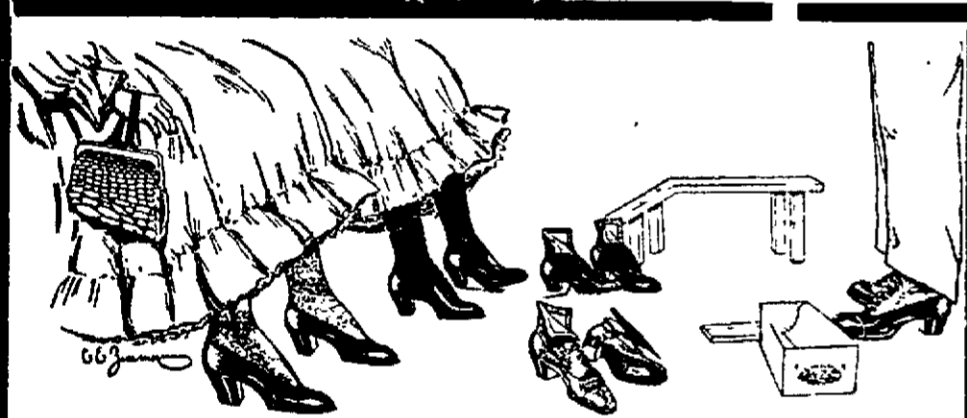
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You are cordially invited to attend.



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M. J. Tylavsky is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

Mrs. Ella Chalfant and son Alexander and Mrs. Sadie Chalfant of Brownsville are visiting relatives in Charleroi today.

Frank Wickerham, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for register of wills, was in town from Monongahela today.

Lorenzo Flowers has gone to Aspinwall to visit his daughter. Mr. Flowers is a veteran of the Civil War, having been a member of the famous Seventy Fourth which was commanded by Col. Schenck. He is now a business visitor today.

C. R. Trew has gone to Virginia where he will visit Fredericksburg and other points. It will be remembered that Gen. Burnside came off second best at this place, Dec. 13, 1862.

Mrs. Jesse Smith and three children went to Wilson Friday for a visit with friends.

With the change of schedule recently on the railroad, a change was made in the afternoon mail service. The train due at 4:38 north does not any longer carry mail, the service being changed to the train due at 3:34 o'clock.

W. A. Swick, a member of the High School faculty has been in State college a few days attending a school meeting. He went as representative of the local high school.

Mrs. Richard Jennings and children of Coal Centre are visiting relatives and friends in North Charleroi.

### A Cold Ride.

All through his life Senator Dolliver of Iowa had a horror of fast trains and possible railroad wrecks. Once he was on a train with Vice President Fairbanks.

Dolliver awoke in the middle of the night, and it seemed to him that the train was going at terrific speed. He climbed out of his berth and, arrayed only in his pajamas, started down the length of the train to find the conductor and ask him to order the train run at less speed. It was a cold night, but the senator did not mind that until the door of his car snapped shut and locked behind him and he found that the door of the next coach was also locked. He rode sixty-five miles locked out in the cold of the vestibule before he could wake up anybody to let him in. Mr. Fairbanks finally heard his cries for help and rescued him.—New York Tribune.

### Necks and Legs of Animals.

With few exceptions there is a marked equality between the length of the necks and of the legs of both birds and quadrupeds, and whether they be long or short is determined chiefly by the place where the animal must go for its food. This is especially noticeable in beasts that feed constantly upon grass, in which case the neck has just a slight advantage in that it cannot hang perpendicularly down. Crocodiles, lizards and fish have practically no necks. Fowls that feed in the water also offer an example of this correspondence between the members, with the exception of swans and geese and some Indian birds, which gather their food from the bottom of pools and must have long necks for that purpose, while the short legs make it more convenient for them to swim.—Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette.

### A Story Peeps Tells.

Pepps tells in his diary that in the reign of King Charles II. a customer bargaining with a London merchant for claret hired a confederate to "thunder" (which he had the art of doing upon a deal board) and to ruin and half—that is, make the noise of—so as to give them a pretense of undervaluing their merchant's wines, by saying this thunder would spoil and turn them, which was so reasonable to the merchant that he did abate two pistols per tun for the wine in belief of that."

### A Mighty Difference.

Brougham used to tell an anecdote about the flight from Waterloo. Napoleon was greatly depressed. His aid riding beside him thought he might be sorrowing over the loss of so many old comrades at arms and tried to comfort him by saying that Wellington also must have lost many friends. "He has not lost the battle," was the reply.

### Utterly Useless.

"Pa, what is a futile remark?" "The one a man makes for the purpose of changing the subject when his wife complains because he has forgotten their wedding anniversary."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### She Was Wise.

"I asked Miss Jimp to sing something, and she refused point blank. Is she grouchy?" "No. She's trying to make a hit with you. Cheer up."—Toledo Blade.

### A Sound Reason.

Mistress—Didn't you hear me calling, Jane? Jane—Yes'm, but you told me the other day never to answer you back.—Throne and Country.

## SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

### Episcopal

Corner Sixth and Lookout: Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Anti-communion service, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11. Subject, "Salvation as a Work." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

### Baptist

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 o'clock and 7:30 by Rev. Sloan, of Vandergrift. Male members of the church are invited to attend the monthly meeting of the Adult Federated Bible classes in the afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.

### Christian

Bible School at 9:45. Communion and preaching at 11. Anniversary sermon by the pastor. Mission band at 2:30. Evening service at 8. O. M. Wilson, a prominent lecturer of Pittsburg, will give a special address on "The Great Swindle." The services will be in charge of the men of the church of whom a large number will be present. While the service is primarily for men every one will be heartily welcomed. V. G. Hosteter, minister.

### First Presbyterian

Sunday School at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Great Indicator." Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:15. Leader, Robert Beaver. Subject, "Moses the Great Giver." Senior C. E. at 6:45. Leader, Miss Leila Orange. Subject "Ruth." The monthly meeting of the Adult Bible classes will be held at 3 o'clock at the church. Evening subject "An Agreement; Have you Considered it?"

### Christ Lutheran

Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30 with sermon by the pastor. All the male members of the Sunday school are urged to be present at the Federated Bible Class meeting in the First Presbyterian church at 8. Luther League at 6:30. A most cordial welcome to the public to come and worship with us. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, minister.

### Methodist

Sunday services; Sunday school 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Impartiality of God" at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30. Public worship and sermon on "God Reasoning With Men at 7:30." All the member of the Adult Bible classes are requested to attend the meeting in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon at 3. F. A. Richards, minister

### Schoolboy Blunders.

The University Correspondent recently offered a prize for schoolboy mistakes. Here are a few examples: "Mute, inglorious Milton"—these epithets are used by a writer who was envious of Milton's being poet laureate. He finds "sermons in stones" expresses the same idea as Wordsworth's "the restless stone that all day long is heard." Calvin was a noted scientist and peer, who died lately. Naples is an independent state in the north of India. Shakespeare made a mistake in mentioning Galen, who did not live until a hundred years after his time. The feminine of fox is foxhen. John Burns was the name of one of the claimants to the throne of Scotland in the reign of Edward I. The pyramids are a range of mountains between France and Spain. The three highest mountains in Scotland are Ben Nevis, Ben Lomond and Ben Jonson. Wolsey saved his life by dying on the way from York to London. When the English first landed in Australia the only four footed animal in the country was a rat. Monsoons are fertile gorges between the Himalayas.

### When Bjornson Died.

Bjornson's son, in describing the last hours of his father, writes: "Now and then the bright flame of his humor flickered up. The doctor felt his pulse and said it was good. With his face beaming with humor he turned toward us and said, 'I am the first man to die with a good pulse.' He said one even ing—and it seemed as if an old wise man was speaking with the weight of experience. 'Now I could write—yes, now I could write, for I have been in the realms of death and have felt the pain that attends death.' And when all of us thought that the indifference of death was upon him—my mother, who always gave him his food, which he would receive only from her, stood at the bedside with a brooch on her breast which she had worn at her confirmation—then he opened his eyes and looked at her. He smiled, lifted his hand and touched the brooch. This was the last sign to the outer world he was able to give."

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FOR SALE—At a bargain the frame building located on Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa., adjoining the Trust company building. Inquire at Charleroi Savings and Trust Co. 219-W-S t2

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WANTED—An experienced saleslady at the People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue. 23013

FOR SALE—One flat top desk, one standing desk, one typewriter desk, two swivel chairs, office safe, Smith Premier Typewriter. Call 3 Mail office. 211 t-2-D

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## DENTISTS FORM PERMANENT SOCIETY IN THE VALLEY

Reorganization Effected at Banquet Held Here

DR. H. E. FRISELL SPEAKS

Dean of University of Pittsburgh Dental College Gives Instructive Talk

The Monongahela Dental Society celebrated their re-organization with a banquet Friday night at the Elks' Club House. Dr. H. E. Friesell dean of the Dental department of the University of Pittsburgh was the principal speaker of the evening. His subject was "Organizing and Conducting a Dental Society." Dr. G. H. Smith of Charleroi, the temporary president of the organization acted as toastmaster, and called upon representatives from the following towns along the river who were present: Charleroi, Monongahela, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Finleyville, Monessen, Donora, Brownsville and California.

With Dr. Friesell in the chair a permanent organization was effected by the election of officers as follows: President, Dr. G. G. Crow of Charleroi; vice president, Dr. Meredith of Monongahela; secretary, Dr. Huston of Fayette City; treasurer, Dr. Abraham of Brownsville; librarian, Dr. Palmer of Monessen. Dr. Crow, the first president of the new association, has had 40 years of active dental practice and many of the best practitioners in this section have been students under his instruction. The local society is affiliated with the Pennsylvania Dental Society.

## FIREMEN CALLED OUT BY ROOF FIRE

A small fire at the home of Mrs. Jennie Campbell on Fallowfield avenue, near First street called out the firemen this morning. The flames and before being discovered had burned which is owned by the Province heirs, and before discovered had burned through. The blaze was quickly extinguished and little damage resulted.

## CHARLEROI BRANCH TO VISIT MONESSEN L. C. B. A. SUNDAY

The Monessen branch of the L. C. B. A. will entertain Miss McEntee, Supreme Trustee Sunday afternoon. Members of Donora, Monongahela and Charleroi associations are invited. A large number from St. Jerome's branch will attend leaving here at 2 o'clock.

### Side Shows Come to Town.

Several of the sideshows with the carnival company which has been exhibiting on the east end of the Monessen bridge moved over to Charleroi for show day. They came yesterday and some have tents while others have secured vacant store rooms in good locations.

## Is Assigned to Coronation

Robert Mountsier, of Charleroi, Sent by New York Sun

Robert Mountsier, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mountsier of McKean avenue, who has been doing newspaper work on the New York Sun for some months, has been assigned to go to London, England, to report the coronation of King George. Robert is a graduate of Columbia University in New York city, and has had considerable experience abroad, having traveled through Germany and England. The assignment is a recognition of his abilities.

## DISCUSS WORK YOUNG PEOPLE

Tri Luther League Has Interesting Monthly Meeting in Charleroi

### ADDRESS BY REV. EVELER

The Tri-Luther League, comprising Luther leagues of the Monongahela, Monessen and Charleroi Lutheran churches held their monthly meeting in Charleroi last night at the Christ Lutheran church. A good crowd was present from each of the towns. Rev. G. B. Eveler, pastor of the Monessen Lutheran church made the chief address on the subject of "The Power of Young People." A. W. Davis of Monessen, Harry J. Gehring of Charleroi and Miss Gertrude Dunmire of Monongahela gave talks on the work being done by the Luther leagues.

In a "standard of excellence" contest Monessen was awarded the banner, Monongahela was second and Charleroi third. Attendance, gain in membership and Bible reading was considered.

## ARRANGE SCHEDULE FOR COMING WEEK

Next week the real interest will be developed in the Charleroi Church league. Good games are scheduled. Monday's game which was scheduled between the Lutherans and Washington Avenue Presbyterians had been postponed until Wednesday, May 17, on account of the circus Saturday, which will necessitate the grounds being put in better shape before being used again. The following is next week's schedule.

Tuesday—Christians vs First Presbyterians.  
Wednesday—Baptists vs W. A. Presbyterians.  
Thursday—Baptists vs Episcopalians.  
Friday—Methodists vs Baptists.

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## CROWDS THROUG CHARLEROI; FIRST SHOW DAY OF YEAR

Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Circus Arrives Early and Put up Tents-Parade is One of Main Features

### AFTERNOON AND EVENING EXHIBITIONS

Fresh from a tour through Ohio the Adam Forepaugh & Sells Bros. big circus arrived in Charleroi early this morning and put up their tents. The show came from Pittsburgh where two exhibitions were given Friday to the delectation of two large audiences.

One of the most interesting sights of the day was the unloading this morning at the railroad siding. At an early hour people began to flock toward this centre of attraction to witness this most interesting proceeding. Tents went up like magic, and by noon everything was ready for the big street parade which is easily one of the main features of the show. The line of parade was over the principal streets.

Many of the cages of the show are open during the parade, which is another thing that marks the liberality of this enterprise. The public is thus afforded a free opportunity of seeing many of the wild beasts carried by this tented institution. The horses are a feature of the display. For years this circus has been noted its fine horses. They are mostly grays, well matched and well groomed.

It looks as though a record-breaking crowd would witness this circus here today. The outlying districts have been thoroughly billed and reports from other cities are of such a favorable character that the people can hardly be disappointed. The show has 70 cars which makes it one of the largest on the road. The numerous splendid features have caused most favorable comment everywhere as among the best ever seen with a tented enterprise. The Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Big United Shows have been rebuilt for the season of 1911 on a big scale of magnificence.

Among the new features this year is a daring double somersault, or loop-the-loop act done by women in an automobile. The same circus appeared in Charleroi last year, but this feature was not along. Consequently all the more interest is felt in the show's appearance here today.

Without doubt the Forepaugh and Sells Bros. show is the cleanest that ever appeared in Charleroi. Often when a circus comes it requires all the local police force and a corps of deputies can do to prevent disorder, but not with the aggregation here today. That fact was realized last year at the time of the appearance of Forepaugh and Sells Bros. show.

## Adults' Day Celebration

Sunday Schools of County Endeavoring to Get Attendance of 20,000

With 20,000 adults in the schools, as the mark to be attained, Adults Day will be observed among Sunday schools of Washington county on Sunday, May 14. In many schools special programs are being prepared. A conquest flag will be awarded to the school having the best attendance of adults according to the school enrollment, excluding the cradle roll. All persons 16 years old or older will be counted.

## SPECIAL VISITING DAY OBSERVED

Sunday School Superintendents Will go to Other Schools

### ASSIGNMENTS FOR SUNDAY

Sunday will be the second of the annual visiting days among Sunday Schools of the county and a number of superintendents of this district will make visits to other districts and men from other districts will come here to visit local schools. The following visits will be made here by other superintendents: Baptist, Bertram Leple, Monongahela; Christians, Lorimer Williams, Monongahela; Speers M. E., John Barrass, Dunlevy; Allenport, M. E. Marshall Plasman, Charleroi; First Presbyterian, E. Jay Iams, Donora; Episcopal, Miss Minnie Landefeld. Visits by local superintendents will be made out of town as follows: D. C. Worthington, Grace Lutheran, Monongahela. J. K. Brumbaugh, Donora Presbyterian. W. S. James, Monongahela M. E. Bethel A. M. E., Donora, George Turner.

### County to Have Chicken Show.

A movement is on foot to organize a county poultry association for the purpose of holding a poultry show at Washington next fall. The committee that is working up the project announces that \$1,000 has been subscribed for the purpose.

## Ability Is Recognized

Testimonial to Prof. J. G. Pentz in Re-election to Superintendency

As a testimonial to his ability Prof. James G. Pentz was re-elected to the position of Superintendent of Schools in Charleroi for a term of three years



this week. Prof. Pentz has held the position for two years and has given the best satisfaction as was indicated by the fact that there was not a dissenting vote to his election.

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### Will Meet Sunday

The monthly meeting of the Adult Federated Bible Classes will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church, and matters of importance will be taken up. Among them will be the matter of Adult Day observance in this district on the following Sunday.

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## COMPILE POSTOFFICE DATA TO GET MATTERS EQUALIZED

To Participate in Field Meet

High School Track Team Goes to Pittsburg Today to Enter Events

A track team from High School, composed of Austin Stahlman, Henry Primas, Carl McGuire, Paul Nott and Lloyd Carson, went to Pittsburg today to participate in a field meet of the Carnegie Technical school. A team will be sent to Washington next Saturday to contest in a field meet.

## FIRST INTERCLASS

### DEBATE IS HELD

Seniors and Juniors Discuss Methods of Senatorial Election

### SENIOR TEAM IS WINNER

The first interclass debate between classes of the High School took place Friday afternoon, when the Seniors and Juniors debated the question "Resolved, That United States Senators should be elected by popular vote." Rev. C. E. Frantz and Rev. F. A. Richards as judges rendered a decision in favor of the Seniors, supporting the negative side.

Debating for the Senior class was a team composed of Johanna Estenfelder, Henry Primas and Charlie Lee. The Junior debaters were Lloyd Carson, Marie Whitehead and Kate Garsble. The Seniors maintained that confusion would result, a great unnecessary expense would be entailed, and there would be no advantage to the people in a change from the present method of electing Senators. The Juniors combatted these points by arguments to the effect that this was a free country and each man therefore had a right to vote directly for the Senators.

## MRS. ALICE REED AND ROBERT JENKINS MARRIED IN BUTLER

In Butler Tuesday occurred the marriage of Mrs. Alice Reed, formerly of Charleroi and Robert Jenkins of Monongahela. The announcement came as a surprise to their many friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Knox of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Butler, Thursday at high noon and the couple returned to Monongahela that night where they will make their future home. Both are well known, enjoying a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Samuel Pardoe went to Morgantown this morning to visit his son, Edgar Pardoe.

### DANCING SCHOOL

Bank Hall Wednesday night, Class 7:30, Dancing 8:45. The Tuxedo will be Danced Wednesday Night. 229-54

Every Piece of Mail Matter Being Counted During May

## EFFECTIVE NATIONALLY

All Postal Employees Must Abide by Ruling, Even Messengers

After a week's experience with the work placed upon them by Postmaster General Hitchcock the post-office employees of the Charleroi office are getting used to counting all mail handled daily. The order of Postmaster General Hitchcock was to the effect that during the month of May all pieces of mail must be counted so that the postoffice department can judge where any saving may be made.

When one considers that there is an average of about 6,000 pieces of mail handled a day at the Charleroi postoffice and that the rule requires every piece to be counted as many times as it is handled the enormity of the work is realized. The rules governing the count are not only effective at postoffices but also extend to the postal carriers, even including the special delivery messengers.

The Charleroi postoffice is about the average for a small town. However it is unofficially stated that in some towns of similar size in the United States there are several more clerks and carriers than there are here to do practically the same amount of work. It is this inequality that the postoffice department desires to overcome. The local postoffice has hardly enough help, and by doing away with unnecessary expense in other places it will be possible to render more efficient service generally than by the present method.

## Will Observe Mother's Day

May 14th is Day Set Apart for Honoring Best Person in the World

Wearing the "memory flower," a white carnation, thousands of people all over the country will celebrate "Mother's Day" the second Sunday in May. Churches, school and organizations will ask the observance of this day, one in which every race, every nation, every individual can join in hearty brotherhood.

It is also asked by the founder of the highest dignitaries of the States of the union have officially put the stamp of approval upon the honoring of the "best mother who ever lived—your own," upon this day.

People are being urged to make their mothers guests of honor in their homes on this day, to send the loving letters, if away, from their children, or to place a tender tribute of gratitude for her life, upon her grave, if she be dead. The day is to be one of joy and kindness.

Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Bradock is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield, of Fallowfield avenue.

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## CHECKING EXPENDITURES



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## May 6 In American History.

1708—Francis Xavier de Lavelle Montmorency, first Roman Catholic bishop of Canada, died; born 1623.  
1802—F. Bret Harte, noted author, died; born 1839. Rear Admiral William T. Sampson, U. S. N., retired, died; born 1840.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 6:57, rises 4:37; moon sets 2:36 a. m.; 2 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing from north to south of sun's path; 11:30 p. m., eastern time, Jupiter's satellites Nos. 1 and 2 missing, the latter being in transit.

## May 7 In American History.

1774—William Bainbridge, naval hero, born; died 1833.  
1894—Frances Elizabeth Barrow, "Aunt Fanny," popular writer for children, died; born 1812.  
1910—Thomas Byrnes, former superintendent of New York police, known throughout the country as "Inspector" Byrnes, died in New York; born 1832.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 6:58, rises 4:46; moon sets 3:01 a. m.

For County Commissioner  
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Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

For Register of Wills,  
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Primaries, June, 1911

## More Backbone

Commenting on the Mail's solicitude lest in bonding the county to the limit for road improvements, the county commissioners will involve the county financially to the extent that a free bridge to Monessen will not be possible, the Monongahela Times say that Charleroi is placing the wishbone where the backbone ought to be; that if Charleroi wants a free bridge across the river the only way to get it is to fight for it as Monongahela did. According to the Times Charleroi wishes it had a free bridge, but it takes backbone to get one.

This is exactly what the Mail has been trying to impress upon the public and to register a kick against any obstacle that may interpose in the way of attaining the object. It is true that Charleroi has not yet passed the wishing period for a bridge, but bye and bye the people here will do as the Times suggests and substitute the wishbone for the backbone. That is the only thing that will bring a free bridge, and the exercise of a little of that quality just now on the part of the people interested in this community might cause the commissioners in a moment to plunge in the matter of road improvements.

This is a good project when advocated in moderation, but there are others.

## Extending the Work

By the letting of contracts for the final machinery of the lock at Dam No. 8 in the Ohio river, the work of

canalizing that waterway within the next twelve years will have made a good start. When this dam is in operation twenty miles more of slackwater navigation will have been added to the Ohio river from Pittsburgh down. Commenting on this the Pittsburgh Dispatch says:

"This will make a system of connected pools from Pittsburgh to Wellsville, Ohio, and constitute a stretch of improved navigation from the latter point as far as Springdale on the Allegheny and Fairmont on the Monongahela.

"The 45 miles of improved river from Pittsburgh down is a small percentage of the total length of the Ohio river. But it covers the section heretofore most liable to suspension from low water and is no slight portion of the part of the Upper Ohio, where the slackwater is most needed. Until the lower part of the river is improved, however, it will be only a local waterway bearing the business between the various shipping points in this section.

"This fact warrants urging the work forward to the earliest completion possible. It has been moving more rapidly during the past few years than in decades previously, but the work cannot be done too promptly nor the highway opened to trade at too early a date."

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

From the viewpoint of mere man it's a bad stunt to let a woman lawyer argue a case because she might want to talk too much.

Reno is noted for several things—divorces and a prize fight.

A tired man has an entirely different kind of feeling from the one whom spring fever affects.

Circus day reminds old folks of the good times they used to have when they were kids.

President Taft has a happy smile which he usually carries along that would make a bunch of affable Senators look like a funeral procession.

Men who otherwise would like to have their pictures in the papers are more than willing to remain in obscurity than be arraigned on either the Burns or the McNamara side of that Los Angeles controversy.

Ah, lucky is the college man  
Who's graduating soon,  
Who has a job at living wage  
Which he can take in June.

And lucky, too, the fair co ed  
Whose dome is full of knowledge,  
If she can catch a husband when  
She gets out of college.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

"When I was a lad," remarked a gray headed and white bearded resident of the valley, as he stood among the crowd watching the unloading of the circus outfit at near the station this morning, "an elephant with a traveling circus was a great curiosity. All circuses were wagon shows then, and traveled over the country by means of a wagon train. Consequently the circus that had an elephant had an unusual attraction, and as comparatively none of the country people had ever seen an animal of this sort before great pains were taken to conceal the attraction from the gaze of the public while en route.

"For this reason the elephant was taken over the road in the night time as far as possible, and in addition it was swathed with canvas covering until it resembled a moving tent. The first one I ever saw was when I was a small boy and lived on a farm up in the central part of New York. VanAmberg's show was scheduled to exhibit in a nearby town and as the caravan had to pass our farm a lot of the neighboring boys determined to see the elephant before the exhibition.

"Securing a couple of bushels of potatoes we stowed these along the road for a distance of a quarter of a mile the night before the show was scheduled to arrive, and then took our station to wait the appearance of the caravan. It was along and tedious wait, and we sat upon logs in the brush beside the road and beguiled the time as best we could. It was close on to daylight before the elephant and his keepers on horseback arrived as the vanguard of the show. The mammoth animal was swathed in

# NOTED PITTSBURGER WILL SPEAK SUNDAY



## O. M. Wilson to Make Address Under Auspices of Sunday School Class

"The Big Swindle" is the subject chosen by O. M. Wilson, Esq., of Pittsburgh for a talk to be given at the First Christian church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Baracca class. Something out of the ordinary is promised. The Baracca class will have entire charge of the services and in addition to the talk to be given by Mr. Wilson, will have a musical program arranged, in which the Presbyterian Boys' Brigade will have a part. Mr. Wilson is a lecturer of national reputation, who cannot fail to delight his audience.

# METHODISTS TAKEN OVER

## First Presbyterians Win in Good Six-Inning Contest

Hits were few and far between last night in the game between the Methodists and First Presbyterians. Errors were prolific, but such was the luck of the First Presbyterians that they were enabled to pull the contest out of the fire by a score of 4 to 2. But then they had the advantage of one hit.

The Presbyterians scored first in the second inning. Oller was safe on an error, advanced on a fielder's choice and came home on a fly to the field. The Methodists embellished the score board by a figure 2 in the third. They thought they had the game won McKean got a walk and so did Mitchell. P. Bege got in the way of the spheroid. McKean scored on a passed ball and Mitchell on an error. Pete Bege was caught on second. On two errors the Presbyterians drew three in the fourth, which stopped the scoring. Wagner was safe on an error, and Oller sent him their circuit by a two bagger. Michiner singled and completed the round while the Methodists were catching Smith at third, after he was safe on an error. The score:

First Pres.	R	H	P	A	E
Bastow, 1	0	1	0	0	0
Ruggles, 2	0	0	2	2	1
Wagner, m	1	0	3	0	0
Oller, 3	2	1	1	2	0
Dunmire, 1	0	0	4	1	0
Michiner, c	1	1	5	1	1
Smith, s	0	1	2	3	0
Delfosse, r	0	0	1	0	0
Dunlop, p	0	0	0	1	0
Provance, p	0	0	1	1	0
Total	4	3	19	10	5
Methodists	R	H	P	A	E
McKean, 1	1	0	0	0	1
Mitchell, r	1	0	0	0	0
Pollock, r	0	0	0	0	0
P. Bege, p	0	1	1	0	0
Proten, 3	0	0	4	1	1
Kent, m	0	0	2	0	0

L. Bege, 2	0	0	1	2	1
Binns, 1	0	0	3	0	0
Wilke, s	0	1	2	0	1
Snyder, c	0	0	5	4	0
Total	2	2	18	7	5

\*One out when game called in seventh on account of darkness.  
First Pres.....0 1 0 3 0 0  
bases—Dunmire, Smith, McKean, Pollock, P. Bege, Wilke, Snyder. Struck out—By P. Bege 5, by Provance 1. Double plays—Kent to Snyder to Proten, Proten to Binns. Base on balls—Off Bege 1, off Dunlop 3. Wild pitches—P. Bege, Dunlop. Passed balls—Snyder, Michiner 2. Hit by pitcher—Wilkes, P. Bege, Pollock. Umpires—Mathias and Byland.

## Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Result			
First Presbyterians, 4	Methodists, 2		
Standing of Clubs			
Episcopalans	W.	L.	Pct.
Lutherans	1	0	1000
First Pres	1	0	1000
W. A. Pres	0	0	000
Baptists	0	0	000
Methodists	0	1	000
Catholics	0	1	000
Christians	0	1	000

Games Next Week	
Tuesday	Christians vs. First Presbyterians
Wednesday	Baptists vs. W. A. Pres.
Thursday	Baptists vs. Episcopalans
Friday	Methodists vs. Baptists

"The Mine's Blown Up."  
I was sitting on the edge of my bed, loosening the heel of one of my rubber boots with the toe of the other, when suddenly through the stillness of the sleeping town, from the power house half a mile away, came a low and rising note, the great siren whistle in the power house. Almost fascinated, I listened as the great note rose higher and more shrill and died away again. One blast meant a fire in the town, two blasts fire in the buildings at the mine and three blasts, the most terrible of all, a disaster or trouble in the mine. Once more, after an interminable pause, the sound came again and once more rose and died away. I did not move, but there was a sudden coldness that came over me as once more, for the third time, the deep note broke out on the quiet air. Almost instantaneously the loud jingle of my telephone brought me to my feet. I took down the receiver. "The mine's blown up," said a woman's voice.—Atlantic.

Saying No.  
The author of "Pat McCarty," a book of verse with a setting of prose, shows how naturally some of the Irishmen of Antrim dilute the wine of narrative with the water of verbiage. In the excerpt below—"The Way We Tell a Story"—the diluent is used with a particularly free hand:  
Says I to him, I says, says I.  
Says I to him, I says.  
The thing, says I, I says to him,  
Is just, says I, this ways.  
I bet, says I, a great wreck  
For you and for your breed.  
And anything I cud, I says,  
I'd do, I wud indeed.  
I don't know any man, I says,  
I'd do it for, says I.  
As fast, I says, as for yourself,  
That's tellin' ye no lie.  
There's naught, says I, I wudn't do  
To please your feyther's son.  
But this, I says, to me, says I,  
I says, it can't be done.

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## AMONG THE THEATRES

### The Palace—Charleroi.

The feature of this week at the Palace Theatre of the pictures was the one "The Two Sides," a Biograph reproduction showing a vivid contrast of the world's prosperous and poor. The scene is laid in the far west where a Mexican laborer is discharged from a ranch with others to enhance the proprietor's already ample profits by reducing expenses. The poor Mexican is in desperation as to the recovery of his sick child and be- comes to give him employment again. seches the rich ranch owner to give him employment again.

Through a childish caprice, the ranchowner's child threatens to run away from home and hides in the barn, through the carelessness of an employe the bar takes fire. The Mexican happening near, is inclined to let the barn burn, but discovers the child's purse outside the barn-door and suspecting the owner is inside the burning building dashes in and the little one is placed in the mother's arms.

Another good picture was "The Chiesa Talisman." John Evans sang with good effect, the well known song "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight." Louis Brusa sang "The Heidelberg Glue" song. Good crowds continued all week.

### The Grand—Pittsburg.

The perennial beauty and popular favorite, Lillian Russell, makes her vaudeville debut in Pittsburg at the Grand next Monday afternoon. Her repertoire of songs for the engagement at the Grand will include many of her best hits, notably, "Come Down My Evening Star." The ladies will be interested in the gowns worn by Miss Russell for she has ever been regarded among the best dressed women on the stage.

In the same program Manager Davis presents many other eminent artists. Harry Tighe, who supported Virginia Earl is coming at the head of a cast of seven lively and talented young folks in a college musical comedy, entitled "The Careless Sophomore." It was written by Ralph D. Paine, the author of many fascinating stories of student life.

The famous Kaufmann troupe of cyclists just returned from Europe, will appear in a series of new ideas in trick and fancy riding.

Warren, Lyons and Meyers will give a hodge podge of vaudeville ideas in song, dancing and patter.

Tom Smith, a merry monologist and a numerous array of other talented folks combine their specialties in a composite bill with no dull second to mar its evenbalanced excellence.

### The Alvin—Pittsburg

Josephine Preston Peabody's four-act prize play, "The Piper" direct from the New Theatre, New York, will be presented at the Alvin Theatre for a short engagement beginning May 8th, with Miss Edith Lynne Matthison in the title role, and supported by the New Theatre company. Last year the play won the Stratford prize offered for the best drama submitted in competition by any English or American author, and was subsequently produced at the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford. In England the character of the The Piper was created by F. C. Benson. At the New Theatre Miss Matthison created the part for America. "The Piper" is written in blank verse, and is based on Browning's well known poem, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin." It is poetic, picturesque and fanciful, and employs twenty adult actors and forty children. Much of its beauty lies in the simplicity of the story, which differs somewhat from Browning's tale in that the little folk, after being piped away to the mountain cavern, are finally piped back again. As the scenes are laid in a medieval period, the four acts lead themselves to picturesque settings and costumes. Mail orders will be given careful attention. There will be matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

### The Red Shirt.

The origin of the "red shirt"—worn as a blouse by English women in the sixties, when Garibaldi was a popular idol throughout Great Britain—is sufficiently curious. When the celebrated filibuster was warring in the South American republics he was anxious to obtain a distinctive and, above all, economical uniform for his followers. He learned that a local dry goods store had an immense "job lot" of these garments, worn by the "sala deros," or cattle slaughterers, of the great South American cities. The "bar gain sale" appealed eloquently to the leader's purse, and he led his men to victory in the butchers' shirts, which are now the accepted emblem of the "risorgimento" of United Italy.—London Globe.

### Heart Trouble.

"Faint heart never won fair lady." "Faint heart has no business to try to win anything; faint heart ought to see a doctor."—New York Press.

## PERSISTENT BEGGARS.

The More Egyptian Mendicants Get the More They Demand.

In Egypt one should never give baksheesh except for actual services rendered. Better calmly but firmly resist attempt at extortion. Never pay till the stipulated service is finished; then, after you have paid a little more than the bargain called for, turn a deaf ear to the protestations and entreaties that always follow. Bear in mind that the more baksheesh you give the more clamorous becomes the applicant. Real thanks and gratitude must not be expected for gifts.

A friend of mine once broke one of these rules just to see what would happen. As we passed through a little mud village twenty miles from Cairo he gave a sturdy beggar a millieme (half a cent). This beggar, accompanied by others, followed us to the edge of the village, asking for more. My friend then gave him a piaster (4 cents).

They followed us a hundred yards or so and were more persistent than before. When they showed a disposition to go back he gave them 5 piasters. They followed us half a mile and became very clamorous. I was afraid we should get into trouble and wanted him to stop. He said he had begun to lag he gave them 20 piasters.

They followed us two miles, and the experiment might have ended seriously had we not met a company of travelers with a dragoman, who sent the beggars about their business. This may help you to understand Egyptian character.—Christian Herald.

## LAPLAND BABIES.

For Their First Few Months They Live In Wicker Baskets.

Little Laplanders spend the first few months of their existence in baskets of wickerwork provided at the top with a conical framework too close for the baby to fall through and yet giving the infant plenty of light and air.

Before commencing her work for the day the Lapp mother places her child in the basket and hangs it on the limb of some nearby tree, occupation being found for the little one by stringing toys under a cord passed across the top of the basket.

Thus provided the child spends the entire day in the open and yet at the same time is guarded from the troubles and dangers of outdoor child life in other countries.

The basket idea curiously parallels the Indian idea of strapping the papoose into a carrying case, but the Lapp baby has the advantage over its Indian fellow in that its limbs are unconfined and a certain amount of liberty of movement is afforded.

The child is carried from place to place in the same basket, the cord by which it is attached to a tree being slung over the shoulder.

## Fossils and Gold.

In Alaska the bones and often the entire bodies of extinct animals, such as the mammoth, the mastodon, the reindeer and the bison, are found most abundantly in layers of soil directly above gold bearing gravels. So intimately is this association between fossil animal remains and auriferous deposits that one scientist who has explored Alaska says fossils serve prospectors as indexes of the metallic richness of the soil. In ancient times both gold and the bones of animals were deposited at the bottoms of valleys by action of rivers and smaller streams, many of which have now disappeared; consequently the appearance of fossils is, it is claimed, an almost certain indication that gold will be found in the neighborhood. The cabins of many miners are ornamented with huge tusks and antlers unearthed in the diggings.—New York Tribune.

## Definite Instructions.

Telegraphers have their troubles, like the rest of mankind, and the men who follow the dots and dashes tell stories based upon actual happenings that almost test the credulity of the hearer. A man now in charge of a Postal office is responsible for the following, which occurred to him when he was holding down a key in an obscure place in the suburbs:

"A farmer came in one day and handed me a message to 'Mrs. Smith, New York city.' I asked for the address, and my patron, looking at me with a pitying smile, replied: 'Sonny, you just send it to Mrs. Smith, who keeps a boarding house in New York. Don't let any one know you don't know where her place is.'"

Philadelphia Times.

## Followed Instructions.

She was a woman of very portan- tal notions, and when she came into his room to kiss her little boy good night and found that he had not said his prayers she was very much shocked. "How was it, Willie," she asked, "that you neglected such an important duty?"

"You see, mamma," he replied, "when dad sent me in a hurry to bed he said there mustn't be another word out of me tonight."—Lippincott's.

## Just the Very Trouble.

A French scientist says that the oceans hold enough gold in solution to give each inhabitant of the earth \$24,000,000. The trouble is that they will continue to hold it.—Albany Journal.

## Might Is Right.

We have noticed that when two boys are playing with a wagon the smaller boy is pretty apt to be the horse.—Atlantic Globe.

Mercy turns her back to the summer. —Quaker.



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## AUDITORS REPORT.

MARCH 15, 1911.

North Charleroi Borough Council; Honorable Sirs:

We, the undersigned borough auditors respectfully report that we have examined or caused to be examined the books and accounts of the borough treasurer, S. W. Sharpnack, of tax collector, C. C. Carson, of burgess, Jonas M. Gee; and have compared their reports with the books and accounts of the borough clerk, J. W. Haggerty, for the year ending March 15, 1911, have found them correct, and we certify that the following is a true statement of the finances of the borough at the close of the year.

## Ordinary Receipts.

Balance forward from last year	\$ 132.83
Taxes, 1908	\$ 80.60
Taxes, 1909	308.31
Taxes, 1910	3,831.46
	3,720.37
Dog license	43.25
Fines collected by burgess	3.70
Building permits	22.00
Sewer permits	4.50
Pole taxes	49.00
Hall rent	12.00
Team license	17.11
Justice of peace fines	26.00
Stock fines	5.00
Peddler's license	1.00
Liens paid	15.18
Foreign insurance	3.70
Borrowed money	700.00
	\$ 4,785.64

## Ordinary Expenses.

Paid note—First National Bank	700.00
Paid interest—First National Bank	818.94
Gas	103.85
Electric light	678.45
Labor and material for street lights	85.17
Water	500.00
Labor—street repairs	318.57
Material—street repairs	125.92
Printing	57.36
Board of health	97.55
Attorney fees	226.36
Fire apparatus	396.60
Police	83.50
Borough audit	21.50
Burgess	37.50
Cleaning and repairs to building	29.81
Clerks salary and stamps	70.04
Street signs	6.00
Prothonotary fees	26.00
Re-building J. H. Sheppard fence	59.30
Treasurers commission	160.27
Sundries	23.93
Treasurers balance	164.23
	\$ 4,785.64

## Resources.

Borough building and fixtures	\$ 3,100.00
Fire apparatus	1,650.00
Miscellaneous	270.00
Outstanding taxes 1909	250.08
Outstanding taxes 1910	912.80
Treasurers balance	164.23
	\$ 6,347.11

## Liabilities.

Bonded indebtedness	\$ 12,000.00
Borrowed money	12,700.00
	\$ 24,700.00

April 25, 1911—Respectfully submitted this date.

Seth C. Bane  
R. A. Metz  
H. A. Williams

## Street Improvement.

## Receipts.

Assessments collected from property owners	\$ 7,169.60
Collected from Pittsburg Railways Company (per agreement)	2,500.42
Due from Pittsburg Railways Company (per agreement)	2,285.82
Due from Donora Lumber Company	1,175.00
Due from Thomas J. Wood	156.77
Due from Johanna Dowd Estate	156.77
Due from West Side Street Railway Company	666.14
Due from T. J. Allen	674.88
Due from Mercantile Bridge Company	794.90
Due from Pittsburg Railways Company	616.80
Due from Mary E. Sellers	143.92
Paid from Borough Treasury	1,641.36
Total	\$17,982.38

## Expenses.

Paid Hallam Construction Company for paving	\$17,862.00
Due Hallam Construction Company for paving	120.38
Total	\$17,982.38

April 25, 1911—Respectfully submitted this date.

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Frank Wickerham, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for register of wills, was in town from Monongahela today.

Lorenzo Flowers has gone to Aspinwall to visit his daughter. Mr. Flowers is a veteran of the Civil War, having been a member of the famous Seventy Fourth which was commanded by Col. Schenckel.

C. R. Trew has gone to Virginia where he will visit Fredericksburg and other points. It will be remembered that Gen. Burnside came off second best at this place. Dec. 13, 1862.

Mrs. Jesse Smith and three children went to Wilson Friday for a visit with friends.

With the change of schedule recently on the railroad, a change was made in the afternoon mail service. The train due at 4:38 north does not any longer carry mail, the service being changed to the train due at 3:34 o'clock.

W. A. Swick, a member of the High School faculty has been in State college a few days attending a school meeting. He went as representative of the local high school.

Mrs. Richard Jennings and children of Coal Centre are visiting relatives and friends in North Charleroi.

### A Cold Ride.

All through his life Senator Dolliver of Iowa had a horror of fast trains and possible railroad wrecks. Once he was on a train with Vice President Fairbanks.

Dolliver awoke in the middle of the night, and it seemed to him that the train was going at terrific speed. He climbed out of his berth and, arrayed only in his pajamas, started down the length of the train to find the conductor and ask him to order the train run at less speed. It was a cold night, but the senator did not mind that until the door of his car snapped shut and locked behind him and he found that the door of the next coach was also locked. He rode sixty five miles locked out in the cold of the vestibule before he could wake up anybody to let him in. Mr. Fairbanks finally heard his cries for help and rescued him.—New York Tribune.

### Necks and Legs of Animals.

With few exceptions there is a marked equality between the length of the necks and of the legs of both birds and quadrupeds, and whether they be long or short is determined chiefly by the place where the animal must go for its food. This is especially noticeable in beasts that feed constantly upon grass, in which case the neck has just a slight advantage in that it cannot hang perpendicularly down. Crocodiles, lizards and fish have practically no necks. Fowls that feed in the water also offer an example of this correspondence between the members, with the exception of swans and geese and some Indian birds, which gather their food from the bottom of pools and must have long necks for that purpose, while the short legs make it more convenient for them to swim.—Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette.

### A Story Popsy Tells.

Popsy tells in his diary that in the reign of King Charles II. a customer bargaining with a London merchant for claret hired a confederate to "thunder (which he had the art of doing upon a deal board) and to rain and hail—that is, make the noise of—as to give them a pretense of undervaluing their merchant's wines, by saying this thunder would spoil and turn them, which was so reasonable to the merchant that he did abate two pils-tolls per tun for the wine in belief of that."

### A Mighty Difference.

Brougham used to tell an anecdote about the flight from Waterloo. Napoleon was greatly depressed. His aid riding beside him thought he might be sorrowing over the loss of so many old comrades at arms and tried to comfort him by saying that Wellington also must have lost many friends. "He has not lost the battle," was the reply.

### Utterly Useless.

"Pa, what is a futile remark?" "The one a man makes for the purpose of changing the subject when his wife complains because he has forgotten their wedding anniversary."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### She Was Wise.

"I asked Miss Jumps to sing something, and she refused point blank. Is she grouchy?" "No. She's trying to make a hit with you. Cheer up."—Toledo Blade.

### A Sound Reason.

Misses—Didn't you hear me calling, Jane? Jane—Yes'm, but you told me the other day never to answer you back.—Throne and Country.

## SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

### Episcopal

Corner Sixth and Lookout: Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Anti-communion service, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11. Subject, "Salvation as a Work." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

### Baptist

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 o'clock and 7:30 by Rev. Sloan, of Vandergrift. Male members of the church are invited to attend the monthly meeting of the Adult Federated Bible classes in the afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.

### Christian

Bible School at 9:45. Communion and preaching at 11. Anniversary sermon by the pastor. Mission band at 2:30. Evening service at 8. O. M. Wilson, a prominent lecturer of Pittsburg, will give a special address on "The Great Swindle." The services will be in charge of the men of the church of whom a large number will be present. While the service is primarily for men every one will be heartily welcomed. V. G. Hosteter, minister.

### First Presbyterian

Sunday School at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Great Indicator." Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:15. Leader, Robert Beaver. Subject, "Moses the Great Giver." Senior C. E. at 6:45. Leader, Miss Leila Orange. Subject "Ruth." The monthly meeting of the Adult Bible classes will be held at 8 o'clock at the church. Evening subject "An Agreement; Have you Considered it?"

### Christ Lutheran

Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30 with sermon by the pastor. All the male members of the Sunday school are urged to be present at the Federated Bible Class meeting in the First Presbyterian church at 3. Luther League at 6:30. A most cordial welcome to the public to come and worship with us. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, minister.

### Methodist

Sunday services; Sunday school 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Impartiality of God" at 10:45 Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30. Public worship and sermon on "God Reasoning With Men at 7:30." All the members of the Adult Bible classes are requested to attend the meeting in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon at 3. F. A. Richards, minister

### Schoolboy Blunders.

The University Correspondent recently offered a prize for schoolboy mistakes. Here are a few examples: "Mute, inglorious Milton"—these epithets are used by a writer who was envious of Milton's being poet laureate. He finds "sermons in stones" expresses the same idea as Wordsworth's "the restless stone that all day long is heard." Calvin was a noted scientist and peer, who died lately. Naples is an independent state in the north of India. Shakespeare made a mistake in mentioning Galeo, who did not live until a hundred years after his time. The feminine of fox is forben John Burns was the name of one of the claimants to the throne of Scotland in the reign of Edward I. The pyramids are a range of mountains between France and Spain. The three highest mountains in Scotland are Ben Nevis, Ben Lomond and Ben Jonson. Wolsey saved his life by dying on the way from York to London. When the English first landed in Australia the only footed animal in the country was a rat. Monsoons are fertile gorges between the Himalayas.

### When Bjornson Died.

Bjornson's son, in describing the last hours of his father, writes: "Now and then the bright flame of his humor flickered up. The doctor felt his pulse, and said it was good. With his face beaming with humor he turned toward us and said 'I am the first man to die with a good pulse.' He said one even ing—and it seemed as if an old wise man was speaking with the weight of experience, 'Now I could write—yes, now I could write, for I have been in the realms of death and have felt the pain that attends death.' And when all of us thought that the indifference of death was upon him—my mother, who always gave him his food, which he would receive only from her, stood at the bedside with a brooch on her breast which she had worn at her confirmation—then he opened his eyes and looked at her. He smiled, lifted his hand and touched the brooch. This was the last sign to the outer world he was able to give."

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